Supplemental Preliminary Amendment

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SUPPORT WITH SOLDER BALL ELEMENTS AND A METHOD FOR POPULATING Title:

SUBSTRATES WITH SOLDER BALLS

REMARKS

This Preliminary Amendment amends the above identified Utility Patent Application filed on January 19, 2006. With this Preliminary Amendment, claim 1 has been cancelled. New claims 19-37 have been added. Claims 19-37 remain pending in the application and are presented for consideration and allowance.

CONCLUSION

The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$ for the presentation of additional claims to Deposit Account No. 500471.

Any inquiry regarding this Preliminary Amendment should be directed to Steven E. Dicke at the below-listed telephone numbers.

The Examiner is invited to contact the Applicants' representative at the below-listed telephone number to facilitate prosecution of this application.

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